Oil Field Environmental Incident Summary

Responsible Party: WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION **Well Operator:** WHITING OIL AND GAS CORPORATION

Well Name: BUCKHORN RANCH 31-16H

Field Name: ELKHORN RANCH Well File #: 16448

Date Incident: 3/1/2015 Time Incident: 11:30 Facility ID Number:

County: BILLINGS Twp: 143 Rng: 102 Sec: 16 Qtr: NE NW

Location Description:

Submitted By: Allison Christensen Received By:

Contact Person: Allison Christensen

1700 BROADWAY STE 2300

DENVER, CO 80290

General Land Use: Well/Facility Site

Affected Medium: Well/Facility Soil

Distance Nearest Occupied Building:

Distance Nearest Water Well: 1500 Feet

Type of Incident: Stuffing Box Leak

Release Contained in Dike: Yes - On Constructed Well Site Reported to NRC: No

Spilled Units Recovered Units Followup Units
6 Barrels 6 Barrels 6 barrels

Brine Other

Oil

Description of Other Released Contaminant:

Inspected: Written Report Received: 3/11/2015 Clean Up Concluded: 3/5/2015

Risk Evaluation:
None Noted

Areal Extent:

Potential Environmental Impacts:

None Noted

Action Taken or Planned:

Well was shut in. Oil that was not contained in cellar was placed into plastic tubs on location. Vac truck sucked out oil within cellar and in tubs.

Wastes Disposal Location: To an approved facility

Agencies Involved:

Updates

Date: 3/2/2015 Status: Reviewed - Assigned to Other Agency Author: Stockdill, Scott

Updated Oil Volume:

Updated Salt Water Volume:

Updated Other Volume:

Updated Other Contaminant

Notes:

According to the incident summary, this spill remained on location. NDIC retains oversight.